



**CITY OF COLUMBIA
INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM**

TO: Teresa B. Wilson, City Manager

FROM: *Joseph D. Jaco, P.E, Director*
Department of Utilities and Engineering

DATE: October 31, 2013

SUBJECT: COUNCIL AGENDA ITEM: A MENTOR PROTÉGÉ PROGRAM PROJECT
#SS7247 Sewer Service to Serve 1817 Cushman Drive

The purpose of this project consists of the installation of 228 linear feet of 8" gravity sewer; 30 linear feet of a jack steel casing pipe, manhole installations, service lateral, traffic control, TV inspection, testing, asphalt paving, and all necessary connections.

Bids for this project were opened publicly at 2:00 p.m., September 26, 2013, in the seventh floor Conference Room, 1136 Washington Street.

The bids were as follows (lowest to highest):

<u>Contractors</u>	<u>Bid Amount</u>
1. G.H. Smith Construction, Inc.	\$55,382.00
2. Carolina Tap & Bore	\$56,830.00
3. LAD Corporation of West Columbia	\$63,207.00
4. Trussell Bros. Construction Co., Inc.	\$64,440.00

See attachments for listing of all bidders' addresses and project site maps.

This project was in participation with the *Mentor Protégé Program* provisions.

This project is located in City Council District 2.

The lowest, responsive and responsible bidder is G.H. Smith Construction, Inc. (Mentor) and Lake Murray Utility Company, Inc. (Protégé). The protégé is implementing 10% (\$5,500.00) of the contract value.

Recommend the City award this contract to G.H. Smith Construction, Inc. in the amount of \$55,382.00. CIP budgeted amount for this project is \$59,255.00. It's funding and supplement source is from 5529999-658650 / SS724701-658650 (Special Contracts/Capital Projects).

Upon your approval, please forward for inclusion on the November 12, 2013 Council Agenda Meeting or *sooner if possible*.

Joseph D. Jaco JSR

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Bidders Addresses

G.H. Smith Construction, Inc.

430 Shuler Court
Columbia, SC 29212

Carolina Tap & Bore, Inc.

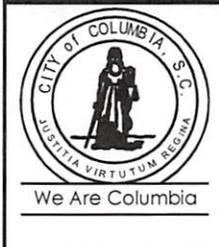
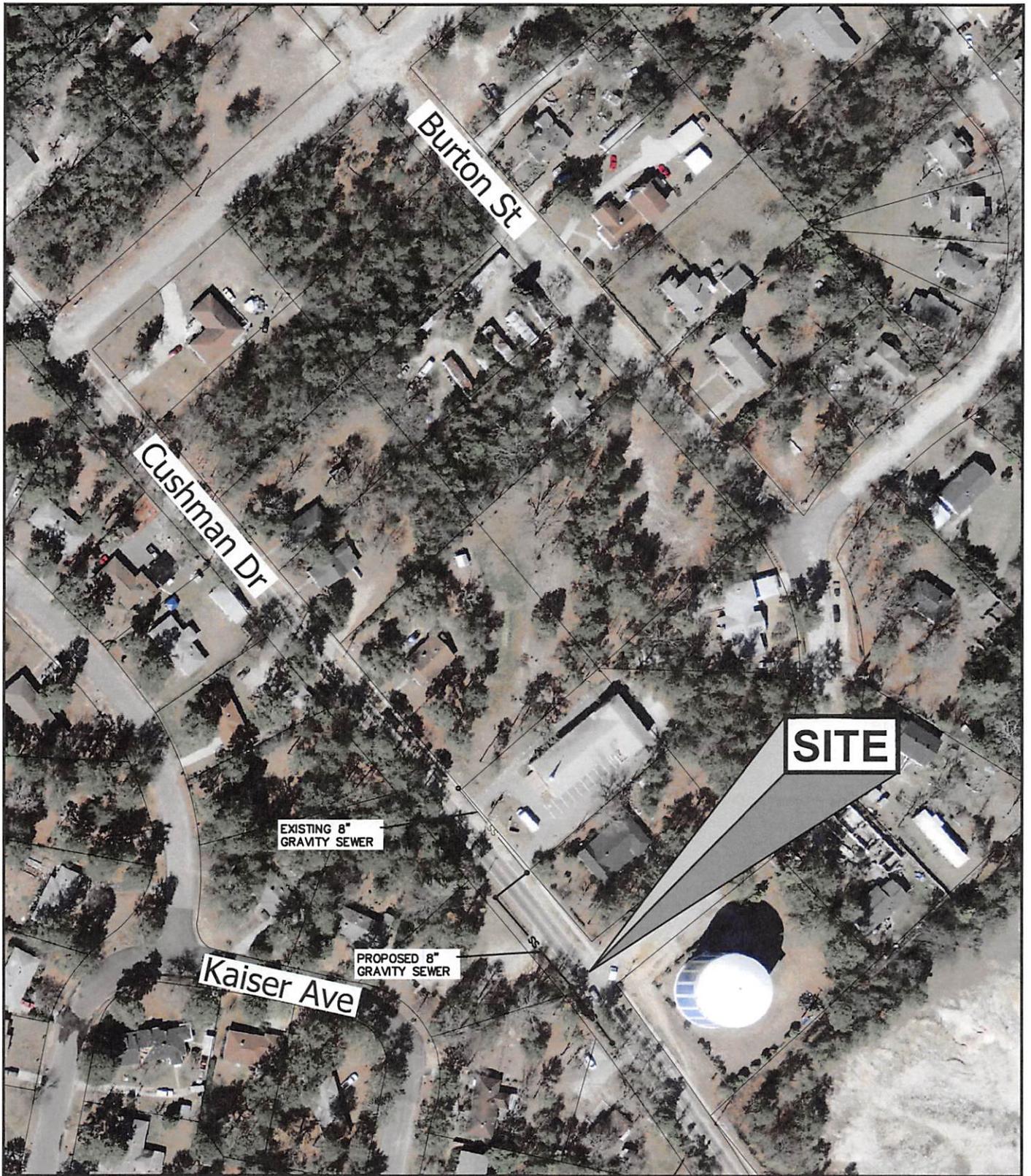
2410 Morningside Dr
West Columbia, SC 29169

LAD Corporation of West Columbia

P.O. Box 2634
West Columbia, SC 29171

Trussell Bros. Construction Co., Inc.

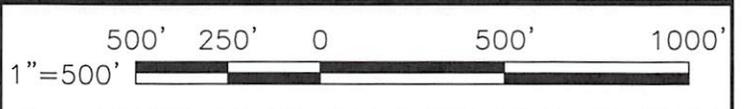
8024 Irmo Dr
Columbia, SC 29212



LOCATION MAP

1817 CUSHMAN DR SEWER SERVICE (GRAVITY SEWER)

CITY OF COLUMBIA
SOUTH CAROLINA



DATE: 6-13-2013

PROJECT NO: SS-7247

